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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SANITARY CONDITIONS

OF THE RURAL DISTRICT OF

VAYNOR AND PENDERYN

IN THE COUNTY OF BRECKNOCK

FOR THE YEAR

1951

BY

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MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH

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To the Chairman and Members of the
Vaynor and Penderyn Rural
District Council.

Gentlemen,

I have the honour to present the Annual Report on the Health and Sanitary Conditions, and the Vital Statistics relating to the Rural District for 1951. The Report is submitted in accordance with the Circular issued by the Ministry of Health.

I wish to tender my thanks to the Members of the Council for their helpful consideration and co-operation in all matters affecting Public Health; and also the Officers of the Council for their help in all matters appertaining to the duties of the Health Department.

The housing problem is still a very serious matter. A large percentage of the existing houses, particularly in the Cefn Coed area, are occupied by more than one family, and there are a large number of sub-standard houses which should be considered for demolition action when conditions permit.

The Council is energetically pressing on with the building of new houses; the chief difficulties being the shortage of skilled labour and building materials. The number of post-war houses erected in the area to the end of 1951 is 312, of these, 34 were erected during 1951. The number under construction at the end of the year being 65.

The factories and coal-mines of the adjoining County of Glamorgan absorb the majority of our work-people, but a number are employed in factories or work-places within the boundaries of this Rural District. The work-people in the more agricultural part of the District are mainly employed in farming, forestry or quarrying.

The health of the District during the year has, on the whole, been good. No outbreaks of food-poisoning have been notified and there has also been an absence of any serious outbreaks of infectious diseases. The majority of deaths during the year were again in the higher age groups.

The incidence of Pulmonary Tuberculosis has been low and infectious cases have been promptly isolated by the Chest Physicians of the Welsh Regional Hospital Board, chiefly at Cimla and Pontsarn Sanatoria.

It has not, during 1951, been found necessary to take action under Section 47 of the National Assistance Act, 1948.

I am,

Yours faithfully,

J. TATE,

Medical Officer of Health.



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BOUNDARIES.

PARISH OF VAYNOR - East Side. The Taf Fechan River from its junction with the Taf Fawr River as far as the junction with the Car Brook.

North Side. From the Car Brook to the junction of the Llysio Brook with the Taf Fawr River.

West Side. The Taf Fawr River from its junction with the Taf Fechan River to the junction of the Llysio Brook and the Taf Fawr River.

PARISH OF PENDERYN - East Side. The Taf Fawr River from the Ffrwd Brook to Nantygourgan.

North Side. From Nantygourgan, where it joins the River Hepsto, to the junction of the Rivers Hepsto and Mollto, and from River Mollto to Dinas Rock.

South Side. From Dinas Rock, following Cwmnant Brook to the Cynon River near Llety Rhys, and the Cynon River as far as the junction of Nant Hir at Cwm Ynys Mwm Tan, and following Nant Hir Brook to Nant Ffrwd Brook to its junction with the Taf Fawr River.

PARISH OF YSTRADFELLTE - North Side. From Carn-yr-Onon to Nant-yr-Eira.

South Side. From Heol-las to Sced Eira, and along the Afon Mellto to the Bridge at Pontneathvaughan.

East Side. From Nant-yr-Eira to Blaen Hopsto and along the River Hopsto to Heol-las.

West Side. Afon Nedd at Pontneathvaughan Bridge to Nant-y-Bryn and Nant-y-Bryn to Carn-yr-Onon.

TOPOGRAPHY.

The Rural District comprises the three Parishes of Vaynor, Penderyn and Ystradfellte, in the County of Brecon. The Parish of Ystradfellte, which had been administered by the Neath Rural District Council, was added to this Rural District by a Review Order of April 1st, 1934.

The three Parishes comprised in this Rural District are of considerable extent. The total area being 39,271 acres, or over 61 square miles with an average length of 8 miles and a width of about 12 miles. They are situated on the Southern Boundary of the County of Brecon, and adjoin the districts of North, Abertare and Merthyr Tydfil, in the County of Glamorgan. They form four valleys in the foothills of the South escarpment of the Brecknockshire Beacons, with high table-lands between.

THE PARISH OF VAYNOR comprises the valleys running northwards two spurs of the Brecknock Beacons, and the PARISH OF HENDERYN consists of high table-land adjoining and emerging towards the same mountainous area. These Rural Parishes are only separated by the narrow streams already mentioned from the County of Glamorgan, and the important populous Urban Districts of Abertare and Merthyr Tydfil on the South. The PARISH OF YSTRADFELLTE presents similar physical features extending from the rugged Van Mountains to the north, covering a rough hilly table-land intersected by two very narrow valleys converging towards an apex at Pontneathvaughan.

ELEVATION.

The district, as a whole, is at a great elevation above sea level, varying from 263 feet to no less than 2,250 feet; it will be realised that the nearly 40,000 acres contained in the area includes a considerable amount of sparsely inhabited mountain land. In the Parish of Vaynor, the levels extend from 645 feet near Cefn Bridge to 1,612 feet at Twyn-y-Croes on the mountain above Gwm Glais. Penderyn Parish presents levels varying from 588 feet at Cynon Bridge, Hirwaun, to 1,376 feet at the top of Twyn, Cadlan, while the Parish of Ystradfellte contains such extreme variations of level as 263 feet at the Bridge at Pontneathvaughan, and 2,250 feet near the top of Fan Fawr, which mountain is partly in the Parish.

CLIMATE.

The proximity of the well-known range of mountains known as the Brecknock Beacons, accounts for the rather heavy rainfall that prevails. Some of the largest reservoirs in Wales are partly in the Rural District

ACREAGE.

Vaynor	...	...	6,549.706	acres
Penderyn	...	...	13,366.337	acres
Ystradfellte	...	...	19,355	acres

39,271 acres

RATEABLE VALUE as at 30th September, 1951.

			£	
Parish of Vaynor	..	..	22,396.	0. 0.
Parish of Penderyn	..	..	14,415.	0. 0.
Parish of Ystradfellte	..	..	6,724.	0. 0.

£43,535. 0. 0.

PRODUCT OF A PENNY RATE.

			£.	s.	d.
Parish of Vaynor	..	..	85.	0.	7.
Parish of Penderyn	..	..	55.	16.	9.
Parish of Ystradfellte	..	..	26.	15.	3.

£167.12. 7.

POPULATION - CENSUS RETURNS.

Census, 1931:

			Males		Females.		Total.
Vaynor	1,544	...	1,619	...	3,163.
Penderyn	973	...	885	...	1,858.
Ystradfellte	341	...	309	...	650.
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Total							<u>5,671.</u>

Census Returns:

	Year.		Year		Year		Year
	1901.		1911.		1921.		1931.
Vaynor and Penderyn	4,766	...	5,526	...	5,674	...	5,021.
Ystradfellte	...	-	...	629	...	613.	.. 650.

Estimated population (Registrar General's figures) on December 31st 1951 was 5,731.

LIVE BIRTHS.

			Male.	Female.	Total.
Legitimate	49.	33.	82.
Illegitimate	2.	-	2.
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TOTALS ..			<u>51.</u>	<u>33.</u>	<u>84.</u>

STILL BIRTHS.

			Male.	Female.	Total.
Legitimate	3.	2.	5.
Illegitimate	-	-	-
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TOTALS ..			<u>3.</u>	<u>2.</u>	<u>5.</u>

DEATHS OF INFANTS UNDER 1 YEAR.

			Male.	Female.	Total.
Legitimate	5.	-	5.
Illegitimate	-	-	-
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TOTALS ..			<u>5.</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>5.</u>

DEATHS OF INFANTS UNDER 4 WEEKS OF AGE.

			Male.	Female.	Total.
Legitimate	4.	-	4.
Illegitimate	-	-	-
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TOTALS ..			<u>4.</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>4.</u>

V I T A L S T A T I S T I C S .

BIRTHS. The Births registered in the District in 1951 numbered 84 (male 51 and female 33). The Annual Birth Rate for 1951 was 14.66 per thousand of the population, compared with 16.28 in 1950 and 19.56 in 1949. The County Birth Rate in 1951 was 15.58 compared with 16.2 in 1950 and 17.3 in 1949. The Annual Birth Rate for England and Wales for 1951 was 15.5 compared with 15.8 for 1950 and 16.7 for 1949.

STILL BIRTHS. Three male and two female still-births were registered during the year. The rate per thousand of the population being 0.872, compared with 0.177 for 1950 and 0.906 for 1949. The County rate for 1951 was 0.46 compared with 0.1 for 1950 and 0.48 for 1949. The rate for England and Wales for 1951 being 0.36.

DEATHS. There were 89 deaths assigned to this area during 1951; of these 51 were male and 38 were female. This figure takes into account 23 inward transferable deaths. There were no outward transferable deaths. The death rate for 1951 was 15.53 per thousand of the population, compared with 15.58 for 1950 and 14.67 for 1949. The County death rate for 1951 was 13.30, compared with 15.5 for 1950 and 12.46 for 1949. The death rate for England and Wales for 1951 was 12.5 per 1,000 of the population; 11.6 for 1950 and 11.7 for 1949.

DEATHS OF INFANTS UNDER ONE YEAR OF AGE. Five male infants under the age of one year died during 1951, in this district. The causes of deaths were as follows :-

Under one week	(i) 1(a) Atelectasis pulmonum
	(ii) 1(a) Microcephaly
	(iii) 1(a) Melaena neonatorum.
Over one week and under one month.	(iv) 1(a) Broncho-pneumonia
	(b) Acute bronchitis.
Over three months and under six months	(v) 1(a) Gastro-Enteritis.

The number of deaths under this heading was one less than last year, and the infant mortality rate has fallen from 65.22 for 1950 to 59.52 for 1951 per 1,000 live births. The rate for England and Wales per 1,000 live births for this year was 29.6 compared with 29.8 for 1950.

DEATHS UNDER ONE YEAR FROM DIARRHOEA. One male death was recorded under this heading during the year. The percentage of total deaths being 1.12. No deaths were recorded from this cause during 1950.

DEATHS FROM PUERPERAL SEPSIS, ETC. There were no deaths notified from a Puerperal cause during the year.

DEATHS FROM CANCER. The number of deaths from all forms of cancer increased from 8 last year to 20 in 1951. Of these 10 were male and 10 female. The percentage of total deaths being 22.47 compared with 9.09 for 1950 and 17.28 for 1949.

DEATHS FROM TUBERCULOSIS. One female death was notified from this cause during the year. The percentage of total deaths being 1.12 compared with 2.27 for 1950 and 7.4 for 1949.

DEATHS FROM HEART AND ARTERIAL DISEASES. There were 38 notifications of death under this heading during the year; of these 21 were male and 17 female. These diseases accounted for 42.7 per cent of the total deaths during the year, compared with 46.59 for 1950 and 29.62 for 1949.

DEATHS FROM BRONCHITIS. Eight male and three female deaths were recorded under this heading during the year. The percentage of total deaths being 12.36, compared with 6.82 for 1950. No deaths were recorded from this cause during 1949.

HEALTH SERVICES FOR THE AREA.

AMBULANCE FACILITIES. The Brecon County Council administer the ambulance services of the area under the National Health Act, 1946. The Health Department of the County Council have made arrangements with neighbouring authorities to provide ambulance facilities for our area as follows :-

Parish of Vaynor.	The Merthyr Hospital Board.
Hirwaun, Penderyn & Ystradfolite.	The Glamorgan Hospital Board.
Bontneathvaughan.	The Neath Hospital Board.

Infectious disease cases in our area utilise the services of the Mardy Isolation Hospital, Merthyr Tydfil, and the Cinla Hospital, Neath.

NURSING AT HOME. This work, which was undertaken by Voluntary Nursing Associations until 5th July, 1948, is now carried out by the County Council.

CLINICS. Clinics are still administered by the County Council, and clinics for expectant mothers and Infant Welfare are held at Cofn Cood and Hirwaun.

HOSPITALS. There are no hospitals in the Council's area, but we are fortunate in having hospital facilities in the adjoining urban areas of Merthyr Tydfil, Abertawe and Neath.

LABORATORY SERVICES. An arrangement has been made for the services of the Public Health Laboratories of the Institute of Preventative Medicine, The Parade, Cardiff, to be utilised for all chemical and bacteriological analyses and examinations required by this Authority.

WATER SUPPLY. The district, which has several supplies of piped water, has, on the whole, been satisfactorily supplied with water. Cofn Cood, in the Vaynor Parish, is supplied from the mains of the Taf Fochan Water Supply Board, as is the greater part of the Vaynor Parish.

In the Parish of Penderyn, Hirwaun is supplied by the mains of the Aberdare Urban District Council. At Penderyn, the water is pumped from the Cadlan and Ogof Fawr regions. This supply is chlorinated at the Cadlan pump-house by means of a semi-automatic apparatus installed in 1944.

During the year 1951, an alternative supply from the Llygad Cynon Borchole was connected up to the existing mains at Penderyn, thus ensuring a clean and wholesome supply of water during periods of drought.

Pontnoothvaughan, in the Parish of Ystradfellte, is supplied by the mains of the Neath Rural District Council. Unfortunately, however, the upper portion of the parish, which includes the small hamlet of Ystradfellte, a school and some 45 scattered farms, has no main piped water supply. Neath R.D.C. have been approached on several occasions for a piped supply from their mains, and, at the present time, a joint scheme has been formulated for a supply of water to be piped to the Ystradfellte region, and the majority of farms which are near the existing mains of the Neath R.D.C.

It is essential that a piped supply be brought to this area, in order that clean water be available on farms employed in the production of milk, as well as to farm-houses and cottages.

During the year twenty samples of water were taken for chemical and bacteriological examination. Upon examination these samples were shown to be chemically and bacteriologically pure.

DRAINAGE AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL WORKS. The Council has provided efficient drainage and sewage disposal works for the whole of the area with the exception of the small hamlet of Ystradfellte. The disposal of sewage from the Hirwaun district is undertaken by the Aberdare U.D.C. under a joint scheme, and five other separate systems of sewage disposal are operated by this Council.

REFUSE COLLECTION. Refuse is collected in the Cefn Cood, Hirwaun, Trefochan, Penderwyn and Pontneathvaughan districts three times a week; twice weekly at Pontsticill ; and once a week at Ystradfellto.

REFUSE DISPOSAL. The refuse collected in the area is tipped at Cilsanws, Cefn Cood, the Upper Pandy, Hirwaun, and at Dinas Bank, Pontneathvaughan. At the present time refuse is being tipped in the old quarry at Cilsanws, Cefn Cood, and the tip is being built up to conform with the slope of the mountain. Care is being taken to ensure that the refuse deposited does not become a breeding place for vermin. The surface of the tip is dressed regularly.

The tipping of refuse at the Upper Pandy, Hirwaun, (jointly with other Authorities), fills in the gaps and holes in the tips of the old Pandy Iron Works. It will be necessary, in the near future, to obtain a new tipping site for the Hirwaun area.

SLAUGHTER-HOUSES. There are no slaughter-houses in the Council's area. All meat for human consumption in this area is supplied from the Government Central Slaughter-houses situated in adjoining areas.

COTTAGE PIGS. The slaughter of cottage pigs for home consumption is still permitted under the Regulations to be carried out on owners' premises.

The majority of the carcasses of pigs slaughtered during the year were examined, and all were found to be satisfactory. .

FOOD AND DRUGS ACT, 1938. A close inspection is made of meat and other foods sold in retail establishments in this area. One hundred and forty one visits were made to butcher shops, food retailers, fried fish shops, ice cream premises, cafes and public houses during the year.

Condemnation certificates are issued in respect of foodstuffs condemned in our area, in accordance with the various Food Regulations issued by the Ministries of Food and Health. The following articles of food were condemned during the year, as being unfit for human consumption :-

Luncheon Meat (tinned)	64 $\frac{1}{4}$ lb.	Pineapples .. (tinned)	1 $\frac{1}{4}$ lb.
Cooked Ham .. "	33 lb.	Apples "	2 $\frac{3}{4}$ lb.
Chopped Pork .. "	23 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb.	Tomatoes "	2 $\frac{3}{4}$ lb.
Jalliced Veal .. "	30 lb.	Tomato soup .. "	2 lb.
Veal & Ham Loaf .. "	2 $\frac{1}{4}$ lb.	Condensed milk .. "	1 lb.
Apricots "	10 lb.	Evaporated milk .. "	8 pts.
Diced Bootroot .. "	38 lb.	Fruit salad (bottled)	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb.
Raspberries "	6 lb.	Rhubarb "	4 jars.
Cherries "	48 lb.	Prunes "	30 lb.
Bacon "	11lb.		

LICENSED PREMISES. Visits have been paid to all the licensed premises in our area, and it is pleasing to note that improvements are being made to raise the standard of these premises in every possible manner.

Every house is endeavouring to utilise the provision of proper facilities for cleansing glasses and utensils, and serving refreshments in an hygienic manner.

The sanitary accommodation of these premises has been improved, and it is hoped that in the near future all will have suitable and sufficient sanitary accommodation and a constant supply of hot and cold water.

FARMS, DAIRIES & COWSHEDS. Since the 1st October, 1949, the Ministry of Agriculture & Fisheries has been responsible for Farms, Dairies and Cowsheds, under the Milk & Dairies Regulations, 1949. The Local Authority therefore have no control in the inspection of these premises, other than under the Infectious Diseases Regulations and the Tuberculosis Acts. The Local Authority is, however, responsible in dealing with the water supply to the farms and, in this connection, the County Agricultural Executive Committee has co-operated in endeavouring to supply a piped water supply to farms.

MILK SAMPLING. The milk produced in the area is mainly collected and transported to milk factories, where it is pasteurised. This milk is tested and examined on arrival at the factories by the laboratories attached.

During the year seventy samples were taken from retailers and producers for bacteriological examination and keeping qualities. Five of these samples failed the keeping quality test.

It is to be hoped that with the provisions of the Milk and Dairies Regulations, 1949, being enforced, that the standard of the milk supply will be raised to an even higher level.

PREVENTION OF DAMAGE BY PESTS
ACT, 1949. Under this new Act, which has been in operation for the past year, the Local Authority is responsible for the survey of the whole of its area. The duties of the Local Authority have been increased and they have been made responsible for farmlands and buildings. The actual work on farmlands, however, is carried out by the County Agricultural Executive Committee in co-operation with the Local Authority.

It is also an obligation on the part of occupiers of land to notify the Local Authority of the presence of vermin.

The work of surveying the district has been carried out under the direction and supervision of the Sanitary Inspector. A full-time rodent operator is employed in the Sanitary Inspector's Department, and he is, at certain periods of the year, assisted by a temporary employee.

In accordance with the provisions made by the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries the sewer systems in the Local Authority's area have been treated twice during the year. This work, where possible, has been carried out in conjunction with the treatment of surface properties.

This area, being of a rural character, has necessitated a close watch being kept on infestation of river banks and culverts near villages. The refuse tips in the area have been dealt with at regular intervals and are inspected weekly to prevent any infestation occurring or remaining on these lands. This work on refuse tips is also maintained in the region of the Sewage Disposal Works, where no major infestations have been found in the past year.

During the year special attention has been paid to premises where food is stored or prepared for human consumption. These premises are visited regularly, and it is pleasing to note that few complaints are received, or evidence found, of infestation in such premises. The occupiers of these premises are aware of the damage likely to be caused by rodent infestation and have taken great care to keep their premises in a satisfactory manner.

FOOD AND DRUGS ACT, 1938 -

SECTION 15. Byo-laws under Section 15 of this Act have been adopted and brought into operation by this Council. Copies of the Byo-laws have been forwarded to persons concerned in the handling of foods for human consumption.

NOTIFIABLE DISEASES IN 1951.

	Total cases notified.	Admitted to Hospital.	Deaths.
Influenzal Broncho-Pneumonia.	1.	-	-
Acute Primary Pneumonia. ..	1.	-	-
Measles	9.	-	-
Whooping Cough	3.	-	-
Scarlet Fever	22.	2.	-

TUBERCULOSIS.

New Cases and Mortality During 1951.

	New Cases.				Deaths.			
Ages.	Pulmonary.		Non-Pulmonary.		Pulmonary.		Non-Pulmonary.	
Years.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
0 - 5.	-	1.	-	-	-	-	-	-
6 - 15.	-	1.	-	-	-	-	-	-
16 - 25.	1.	3.	-	-	-	-	-	-
26 - 35.	1.	-	-	1.	-	-	-	-
36 - 45.	1.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
46 - 65.	-	1.	-	1.	-	-	-	-
Over 65.	-	-	-	-	1.	1.	-	-
TOTALS.	3.	6.	-	2.	1.	1.	-	-

The total number of tuberculosis cases remaining on the Register at the 31st December, 1951, was sixty, compared with fifty-two at the end of 1950. This figure is made up as follows :-

Pulmonary.		Non-Pulmonary.	
M.	F.	M.	F.
26.	21.	6.	7.

FACTORIES ACTS, 1937 and 1948.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH IN
RESPECT OF THE YEAR 1951, FOR THE RURAL DISTRICT
OF VAYNOR AND PENDERYIN IN THE COUNTY OF BRECKNOCK.

Prescribed particulars on the Administration of the Factories
Act, 1937.

Part I of the Act.

1. INSPECTIONS for purposes of provisions as to health
(including Inspections made by Sanitary Inspectors).

Premises. (1)	M/c line No. (2)	No. on Register. (3)	Number of		
			Inspection. (4)	Written notices. (5)	Occupiers prosecuted. (6)
(i) Factories in which Secs.1, 2,3,4 & 6, are to be enforced by Local Authorities.	1.	8.	32.	-	-
(ii) Factories not included in (i) in which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority.	2.	3.	12.	-	-
(iii) Other Premises in which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority (ex- cluding out- workers' premises.	3.	4.	12.	-	-
TOTAL ..	-	15.	56.	-	-

2. CASES IN WHICH DEFECTS WERE FOUND.

(If defects are discovered at the premises on two, three or more separate occasions they should be reckoned as two, three or more "cases").

Particulars.	M/c Line No.	No. of cases in which defects were found.				No. of cases in which Prosecutions were instituted. (7)
		Found,	Remedied.	Referred.		
				To H.M. Inspector.	By H.M. Inspector.	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	
Want of cleanliness (S.1)	4.	2.	2.	-	-	-
Overcrowding (S.2)	5.	-	-	-	-	-
Unreasonable temp- erature (S.3)	6.	-	-	-	-	-
Inadequate ventil- ation (S.4)	7.	1.	1.	-	-	-
Ineffective drain- age of floors(S.6)	8.	-	-	-	-	-
Sanitary Conven- iences (S.7)						
(a) Insufficient	9.	-	-	-	-	-
(b) Unsuitable or defective	10.	2.	2.	-	-	-
(c) Not separate for sexes.	11.	-	-	-	-	-
Other offences against the Act (not including offences relating to Outwork.	12.	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL ..	60.	5.	5.	-	-	-

PART VIII OF THE ACT.

OUTWORK.

(Sections 110 and 111).

There are no Outworkers in the area.

VAYNOR AND PENDERYN RURAL

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE

P A R T

I N C O M E

BALANCE brought forward from 31st March, 1950

7,387. 3. 0½

RATE INCOME

General Expenses chargeable on whole District, including
Additional Items of General Rates.

54,358. 6. 5

Special Rates.

961.11. 3

Water Rates & Charges (Penderyn)

154. 3. 6

do. (Ystradfellte)

6. 0

MINISTRY OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT & PLANNING.

Local Government Act, 1948 - Grant

593. 0. 0

Tithe Act Grant

238.17. 4

Emergency Residual Services - Reimbursement.

223.12. 0

MINISTRY OF LABOUR.

Grant - Penderyn Waterworks.

97.12. 8

BRECON COUNTY COUNCIL.

Salaries of Medical Officer of Health and Sanitary
Inspector - Grant.

357.14. 2

Local Government Act, 1948 - Capitation Grant.

2,161. 0. 0

Notification of Infectious Diseases.

6. 7. 6

DISSOLVED BRECONSHIRE COUNTY ASSESSMENT COMMITTEE.

Apportionment of Surplus.

95.15. 1

OTHER INCOME.

Cefn Sewerage Works - Rents of Gardens.

3. 6

do. - Other Income.

19. 6

Collection of Refuse - Income.

3.16. 3

Rent of Garden - Cefn Isaf, Cefn Coed.

1. 0

Childrens Playing Field, Cefn Coed - Income.

12. 0

Public Conveniences - Income.

2. 8. 4

Slaughter of Animals Act - Licence.

1. 3. 0

Food & Drugs Act - Income.

1.15. 0

Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts.

8. 2. 0

Emergency Residual Services - Income.

90.11.11

FORWARD

£ 66,745. 7. 1½

DISTRICT COUNCIL

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 1951.

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EXPENDITURE

DUE UNDER PRECEPTS.

Brecon County Council.	35,537. 7. 8
Vaynor Parish Council.	120. 0. 0
Penderyn Parish Council.	50. 0. 0
Ystradfellte Parish Council.	111. 0. 0

SEWAGE DISPOSAL WORKS.

Cefn Coed	- Working Expenses.	619.10. 1½
Cefn Coed Sewers Extension-	Loan & Interest.	92.11.10
do.	- Capital Account - (Part II)	2. 5. 3
Pontsticill	- Working Expenses	407. 4. 7
do.	- Loan & Interest	89.13. 8
Hirwaun	- Working Expenses	487.12. 4
do. (Hsg)	- Loan & Interest	17. 0. 8
Penderyn	- Working Expenses	372. 0. 3
do.	- Loan & Interest	163.18.10
Pontneathvaughan	- Working Expenses	364.16. 0
do.	- Loan & Interest	129.19. 2

WATER WORKS.

Penderyn	- Working Expenses	632.11. 4½
do.	- Loan & Interest	365. 1. 8
Ystradfellte	- Working Expenses	50. 7. 0

COLLECTION OF REFUSE

Throughout District.	3,179. 9. 0
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PUBLIC CONVENIENCES

	35.11. 3
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PUBLIC LIGHTING

Vaynor	505.12. 0
Penderyn	87.15. 7½
Ystradfellte	150. 4.11
	743.12. 6½
	26. 9. 2

YARDS & SHEDS

CIVIC RESTAURANT, CEFN COED

Working Expenses	21.17. 7
Loan & Interest	98.16. 6
	120.14. 1

PLAYING FIELD, CEFN COED

8.19. 6

FORWARD

£ 43,727.15.11½

P A R T

I N C O M E (CONTINUED)

FORWARD

£ 66,745. 7. 1½

OTHER INCOME (CONTINUED)

The Pound, Cefn Coed - Fees &c.	4.15. 4
Searches - Local Land Charges Registry.	23. 8. 0
Petrol Licences.	6. 0. 0
Hirwaun Water Supply. - Contribution.	10. 0. 0

MISCELLANEOUS INCOME.

120.10. 3

£ 66,910. 0. 8½

I (CONTINUED)

EXPENDITURE (CONTINUED)

FORWARD

£ 43,727.15.11½

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICES.

General Disinfection. 14. 8.11
Salaries of Officers etc. 3,904.11. 2
Returns of Births & Deaths. 1.16.10
Brecon Isolation Hospital -
Final Apportioned Charge.

Water Analysis. 43. 5.10
Food & Drugs Act. 1. 1. 0
RODENT CONTROL. 9.12. 6

3,974.16. 3
312. 4.10

HOUSING.

Annual Contribution - Housing Revenue A/c. 1,837.16. 9
Additional Contribution - do. 3,536. 3. 0

5,373.19. 9

FINANCIAL ADJUSTMENT.

Ystradfellte Parish - Loan & Interest.

438.19. 8

COST OF COLLECTION OF RATES.

General Rate 1,046.15. 3
Special Rate 19. 5. 4

1,066. 0. 7
1,156. 7. 9½

ESTABLISHMENT CHARGES.

OTHER EXPENSES.

Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts.

7.11. 0

Town & Country Planning - Preservation of Woodlands Order.

50. 0. 0

Emergency Residual Services - Expenditure.

314. 3.11½

The Pound, Cefn Coed.

21. 6. 0

National Assistance Act, 1948.

12.10. 0

Roadside Seats.

77.16. 9½

Travelling, Subsistence & Financial Loss Allowances.

173. 7. 2

Chairman's Allowance.

100. 0. 0

Pension Allowance to retired Rating Officer.

113. 0. 0

Brecon County Council - Superannuation Fund.

631.15. 8

National Insurances.

207.10. 6

MISCELLANEOUS.

174.17. 7

BALANCE carried forward

8,975.17. 2½

£ 66,210. 0. 1½

P A R T

LOAN, CAPITAL, AND

I N C O M E

BALANCES brought forward :-

Playing Field, Cefn Coed

31.18. 9

Civic Restaurant, Cefn Coed

418. 0. 0

449.18. 9

SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION

Repayment of Advances

17. 6. 8

SEWERAGE & SEWAGE DISPOSAL

Revenue Account - (Part I)

2. 5. 3

HOUSING

Loans raised etc.

15,311. 5.11

Revenue & Special Accounts.

2,693. 3.11

18,004. 9.10

BALANCES carried forward :-

Small Dwellings Acquisition

4. 6. 8

Housing

86,861. 6. 9½

Sewerage & Sewage Disposal

210. 6. 3

Public Lighting

81. 0. 6

87,157. 0. 2½

£ 105,631. 0. 8½

AUDITED AND FOUND CORRECT

(Signed) D.R. DAVIES

Assistant District Auditor

29th January, 1952.

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SPECIAL ACCOUNTS

EXPENDITURE

BALANCES brought forward :-

Small Dwellings Acquisition

4. 6. 8

Housing

27,016.19. 5

Sewerage & Sewage Disposal

2. 5. 3

Public Lighting

81. 0. 6

27,104.11.18

SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION

17. 6. 8

SEWERAGE & SEWAGE DISPOSAL

Expended on Works.

210. 6. 3

HOUSING

Expended on Works etc.

76,562. 8. 8

Revenue & Special Accounts.

1,286. 8. 6 $\frac{1}{2}$

77,848.17. 2 $\frac{1}{2}$

BALANCES carried forward :-

Playing Field, Cefn Cood

31.18. 9

Civic Restaurant, Cefn Cood

418. 0. 0

449.18. 9

£ 105,631. 0. 1 $\frac{1}{2}$

(Signed) R. H. ROSE

Chief Financial Officer

2nd April, 1951.

